



**REQUEST  
FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL**

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective on May 29, 2000,  
provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application  
filed on or after June 8, 1995.  
See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

Application Number 10/648,237

Filing Date\* August 27, 2003

First Named Inventor YANG

Group Art Unit 2822

Examiner Name K. Rose

Attorney Docket No. 3183-53

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

**NOTE:** \* Filing date must be on or after June 8, 1995; but if before May 29, 2000, then consider a CPA.

**1. Please consider the following as the required submission under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:**

- ☒ a. The Amendment/Reply filed on: August 4, 2006.
- ☐ b. The Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed on (date):
- ☐ c. The Brief/Reply Brief filed on (date):
- ☐ d. The \_\_\_ page(s) of Form PTO-1449 and copy of each listed document filed (date):
- ☐ e. Other:
- ☒ 2. A TWO- month Petition for Extension of Time is filed herewith.
- ☒ 3. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 501874.
- ☒ 4. Authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account No. 501874 in the amount of \$1240 to cover the Large Entity Filing Fee (\$790) and the Large Entity Extension Fee (\$450). A duplicate of this form is enclosed herewith.
- ☐ 5. This Request is transmitted by facsimile to number (703) \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ 6. Other:

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**THE RCE FEE IS CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:**

Total Claims: 13 - 20 (highest number previously paid for) = 0.00						Basic Fee:	\$790.00
Independent Claims: 1 - 3 (highest number previously paid for) = 0.00						X \$18 =	0
Correspondence Address: <b>TROXELL LAW OFFICE PLLC</b> 5205 Leesburg Pike, Suite 1404 Falls Church, VA 22041						Multiple Dependent Claim (add \$280.00):	0
<b>CUSTOMER NUMBER: 40144</b>						Subtotal:	\$790.00
Phone: 703-575-2711 Fax: 703-575-2707						50% Reduction if Small Entity Status:	\$0.00
						Total:	\$790.00
Date:		Name:		Signature		Reg. No.	
October 4, 2006		Bruce H. Troxell				26,592	